

**ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH  
&  
H.O.P.E. Centre News  
4347 Loch Lomond Road  
Saint John, NB E2N 1C8**

**Rev. Ralph McRae, Pastor**

**Our Vision Statement**

*A parish dedicated to the spiritual well-being of God's people through on-going family based religious education programs, a deepening of the sacramental life of the parish, and the continuing development of meaningful and life-giving liturgies. A parish that lives out this commitment through social service and ministry.*

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**School Programs:** Preschool 653-6971 Afterschool 653-6857

**Pastoral Council Chairperson** George Quigley Phone 696-3731 email quigleydesign@rogers.com

**H.O.P.E. Wellness Centre** Mon. Tues. Wed. 8 am to 3 pm Phone 632-5695

**January 28, 2018**

**Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Saturday, January 27**

**4 pm Jack Goguen**

**Sunday, January 28**

**10 am Mary Sponagle**

**11 am Religious Education**

**2- 4 pm Open Mic Jam in H.O.P.E. Centre**

**Monday, January 29**

**7 pm Quigley Share Group**

**7 - 8 pm Yoga**

**Tuesday, January 30**

**10 - 11 am Senior's Exercises**

**10 am Moms & Tots**

**1 pm Senior's Cards**

**Wednesday, January 31**

**12 noon For the People**

**7 pm McGrath Share Group**

**Lavigne Share Group**

**Thursday, February 1**

**10 - 11:15 am Moms & Tots**

**12 noon For the Youth of the Parish**

**5:30 pm Doors open for Bingo**

**Friday, February 2**

**12 noon George Douglas**

**Saturday, February 3**

**3:30 pm Rosary will be prayed**

**4 pm Father Bill Elliott**

**non-perishable food collection for  
Lakewood Headstart, Inc.**

**Sunday, February 4**

**9 - 11:30 am Breakfast in H.O.P.E. Centre**

**10 am John Elliott**

**1 - 2 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

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Sunday, January 28 St. François de Sales from  
2:30 - 3:30 pm with Benediction and Confession.

**PARISH FINANCES**

**Last week's offerings:**

**Offertory \$2017.**

**Those In Need \$37**

**Pre-authorized Debit** (weekly) \$190

Just a reminder that pre-authorized debit is available. Please call the office for further information.

Offertory Envelopes are available at the front door of the church.

**NOTE:** Any contributions made by cheque **MUST** be made payable to St. Joseph's Church or The H.O.P.E. Centre depending on where you want the donation allocated.

**For February 3 & 4**

**Lectors**

**4 pm Jim & Donna Lavigne**

**10 am Jim Lane & Sandra Butler**

**Eucharistic Ministers**

**4 pm Ann Wisted, Ann Furlotte, Patti McGrath**

**10 am Carol Hussey, Joe Butler,  
Pauline Winters**

***Ecclesiastes III....Under every season there is a time.....a time to heal....we remember these people in need of our prayers:***

Carol McNally, Bob Donovan, Kathleen Folkins, Fred Savoie, Mary Naves, Kiley Clements, Muriel Richard, Walter Smith, Brian Naves, Joe Duplisea, Gladys McGrath, Ian Walker, Harvey Beck, Hilma Tracey, Mary Bishop, Gail Scott, Percy Leslie, Will James, Kathy Hackett, Danny Murray, Eileen Shaw, Jocelyn Corscadden, Michael LeCroix, Kyla, Sam Williams, Marlene Savoie, Karen Adams, Helen Savoie, Kathleen Gagnon and her family, Debbie Nolan, Gisele Kirkpatrick, Jean Morrison, John Richardson, Arthur Locke, Theresa Ryan, a Special Intention, Buddy Perry, Ann Whelan, David Branscombe, Marilyn Galbraith, Kathy & IrwinTufts

**NO SCENTS IS GOOD SENSE"**

Be considerate of others. Recognize that some people may have allergies or adverse reactions to fragrances. Please reduce or eliminate your use of scented products at Mass.

**Question of the week for February 4  
Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Reading 1 Job 7:1-4, 6-7**

**Reading 11 1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22-23**

**Gospel: Mark 1:29-39**

**Key Passage: That evening, at sundown, they brought to him all who were sick or possessed with demons. And the whole city was gathered around the door. And he cured many who were sick with various diseases, and cast out many demons. ( Mark 1:32-34)**

**Adult: When have you felt the sadness of Job? When have you felt the joy of those who witnessed the healing works of Jesus?**

**Child: What could you do this week to comfort someone who is sad?**

**PASTORAL CARE**

**A committee has been formed to provide Pastoral Care for the sick and elderly of the parish. Regular home visits will be made at a time of your convenience. Please call the church office or Pauline Hughes 696-7907 to arrange a visit.**

**CWL NEWS**

**It is that time of year to collect our annual dues of \$20. If it's more convenient for you, put your money in a envelope marked "CWL Dues" and drop it in the collection basket.**

**Dues must be in by February 1st.**

**Being a member of The Catholic Women's League of Canada adds your voice to some 82,000 women in Canada, strong in their faith, have their voice heard in government, and share the love of their community.**

**The next regular meeting will be Wednesday, February 21. The meeting will include Mass and a mini-Retreat. All are welcome!!**

Knights of Columbus Council 11201 Bingo every other Friday night in the Bradley Lake Community Centre at 248 Bradley Lake Road.  
Doors open at 6 pm. Early Bird Games at 6:45 pm \$500 Pot of Gold/Jackpot Games/Cookie Jar and Specials. The next game night is February 9.

**ELF** volunteer reading mentors are urgently needed at many schools in Saint John. Please consider donating two hours to a deserving Grade 2 student in your community this winter. Visit elfnb.com to register as a volunteer and sign up for our upcoming training session. For more information, contact us by calling 609-5665 or email [laura.morrell@elfnb.com](mailto:laura.morrell@elfnb.com). We can't wait to hear from you!

Horizon Health is seeking volunteers to give two to four hours a week to make a difference in patients' lives. Volunteers are needed in Saint John Regional Hospital, St. Joseph's Hospital, and the Ridgewood Veterans' Wing. To register, call the Volunteer Office at 648-6523 or e-mail [Leigh.Giberson@HorizonNB.ca](mailto:Leigh.Giberson@HorizonNB.ca)

The Canadian Cancer Society is looking for volunteer help to sell our beautiful daffodil flowers in the five grocery store locations. The Daffodil Campaign runs from March 21<sup>st</sup> – March 29<sup>th</sup>. To sign up for volunteering, contact Heather Kamerman at 634-6729.

## **HOPE CENTRE NEWS**

### **SENIORS EXERCISE PROGRAM**

Each Tuesday from 10 - 11 am.

### **SENIORS CARDS**

Each Tuesday at 1 pm. Come and socialize and play 45's....enjoy the day!!

### **YOGA**

Mondays from 7 - 8 pm \$40 for 6 weeks. Register at 653-6875 or 609-5867 (Tracie). All welcome!!

### **MOMS & TOTS**

Tuesday & Thursday mornings from 10-11:15 am. Come and have some adult time while you're enjoying watching your children play. Snacks provided for the little ones and of course coffee is on for YOU! (come in the main doors of the H.O.P.E. Centre, take the elevator down to the basement or the stairs to the left)

### **BINGO**

Bingo each Thursday. Doors open at 5:30 pm, Games begin at 6:50 pm. Please come out for a great night of fun.....

### **FOOT CARE CLINIC**

Last Wednesdays of each month 9 am - 12 noon  
Cost \$40 - \*Provided by nurses trained in Advance & Diabetic foot care \*Receipts provided for income tax purposes \*Most Health Insurance plans cover foot care services \*Registered providers for Medavie Blue Cross & Veterans  
To book an appointment call 847-0254

**SOUTHEAST JAM SESSION** - This is a Open Mic session for all who want to come to sing, dance or just to enjoy and tap your toes to good ole country music. We will have this every 2nd Sunday afternoon from 2 - 4 pm.

Admission is \$4 per person

*free tea/coffee, cookies; 50/50 Draw & Door Prize*

**LINE DANCING** -This is a fun, great exercise for anyone of all ages! Monday's 11 am to 12 noon \$35.00 for a 5 week session. Instructor is Sue Beale :) Register with Tracie @ 609-5867

*\*\* please note this needs to be a scent free class.*

**BREAKFAST** February 4, 9-11:30 am Adults \$8, Children \$5 and Family of four \$23, eggs, bacon, ham, beans, pancakes, hash browns, toast, tea, coffee and juice.